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- The Communist School in Sofia located on Rue Vraptcha is directed by $_{\scriptscriptstyle \mathcal{S}}$ Ruben Levi, theorist of the Bulgarian Communist Party. (The school has no connection with the University of Sofia.) Among the professors are the following:
 - Dr. Luben Vassiliev, lecturer on law.
 - Todor Pavlov, President of the Scientific Academy.
 - Dr. Konstantin Mitchev, lecturer on history.
 - Professor Petko Kunin, lecturer on Communist economy.
 - Nikola Kodjeykov.
 - Dr. Kolarov, lecturer on biology. f.
 - Vladimir Poptomov, lecturer on nationality and self-determination of minorities.
 - Two unnamed professors of the Russian and French language.
- Vassiliev, Pavlov, Mitchev and Kunin are also professors at the Sofia University in the same subjects, but are said to spend the majority of their time at the Communist School.
- The school is often visited by Georgi Dimitrov and members of the Politbureau who give propaganda talks and lectures on Bulgarian politics.
- There are only 70 students, ninety percent of which are male, attending the school. Competition for entry is very keen in view of the privileges bestowed on graduates of the school. Normal qualifications for entry are to have been a partisan, to have been in a concentration camp, or in political prison because of active membership in the Communist Party.

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